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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicant(s): Yong Ho Son et al. Case: DIVA/040
Serial No.: 09/458,321 Group Art Unit: 2611
Filed: December 10, 1999 Examiner: Srivastava, Vivek
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS PROVIDING PROCESS
INDEPENDENCE WITHIN A HETEROGENEOUS
INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed **October 22, 2002**
(Paper No. 16). Please consider the above-identified patent application as
follows.

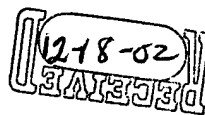
REMARKS

This response is intended as a full and complete response to the final
Office Action dated October 22, 2002. In the Office Action, the Examiner notes
that claims 10-13, 15-18, and 20-29 are pending, of which claims 10-13, 15-18
and 20-29 stand rejected.

In view of the following discussion, the applicants submit that none of the
claims now pending in the application are obvious under the provisions of 35
U.S.C. §103. Thus, the applicants believe that all these claims are now in
allowable form.

Rejections

I. 35 U.S.C. §103



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